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PART III
GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PANCHAYATS
NOTIFICATION

The 16th August, 2022

No. G.S.R. 61/Const./Art.309/Amd.(1)/2022. – In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, and all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor of Punjab is pleased to make the following rules further to amend the Punjab Rural Development and Panchayats (Group 'A') Technical Service Rules, 2016, namely:--

RULES

1. (1) These rules may be called the Punjab Rural Development and Panchayats (Group 'A') Technical Service (First Amendment) Rules, 2022.

(2) They shall come into force on and with effect from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. In the Punjab Rural Development and Panchayats (Group 'A') Technical Service Rules, 2016 (herein after referred to as said rules), in rule 8, for sub-rule (2), the following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely:-

"(2) The authority empowered to impose penalties as specified in rule 5 of the Punjab Civil Services (Punishment and Appeal) Rules, 1970, and the appellate authority there under in respect of the members of the Service against an order as specified in rule 15 of the Punjab Civil Services (Punishment and Appeal) Rules, 1970 shall be as per Appendix 'D'. "

3. In the said rules, for Appendix 'A', the following Appendix shall be substituted, namely:-

"APPENDIX 'A'
[See rules 1 (3), 3 and 5]

Serial Number	Designation of the post	Number of Posts			Scale of pay + Grade pay (In rupees)	Scale of pay (in rupees) for the member of the Service recruited after 17/07/2020 (as per 7th Central pay commission)
		Perma nent	Temp orary	Total		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1.	Chief Engineer (Panchayati Raj)	1	—	1	37,400-67,000 + 10,000	—

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2.	Superintending Engineer (Panchayati Raj)	4	—	4	37,400-67,000 + 8,700	—
3.	Executive Engineer (Panchayati Raj)	16	—	16	15,600 + 39,100 7,600	—
4.	Executive Engineer (Electrical) (Panchayati Raj)	1	—	1	15,600 + 39,100 7,600	—
5.	Sub Divisional Officer (Panchayati Raj)	49	—	49	15,600 + 39,100 5,400	47600 Level 8
6.	Sub Divisional Officer (Electrical) (Panchayati Raj)	3	—	3	15,600 + 39,100 5,400	47600 Level 8".

4. In the said rules, for Appendix 'B', the following Appendix shall be substituted, namely:-

"APPENDIX 'B'**[See rule 6]**

Serial Number	Designation of the post	Percentage for appointment by			Method, qualification and experience for appointment by
		Direct appointment	Promotion	Direct appointment	Promotion
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Chief Engineer (Panchayati Raj)	—	Hundred per cent	—	From amongst the Superintending Engineers (Panchayati Raj) who have an experience of working as such for a minimum period of two year.
2.	Superintending Engineer (Panchayati Raj)	—	Hundred per cent	—	From amongst the Executive Engineers (Panchayati Raj) who possess Degree in Engineering in Civil or a degree of AMIE from a recognized university or institution and who have an experience of working as such for a minimum period of five years subject to the condition that the officer should have total service of 14 years inclusive of service as

					Executive Engineer (Panchayati Raj) and Sub Division Officer (Panchayati Raj).
3.	Executive Engineer (Panchayati Raj)	—	Hundred per cent	—	From amongst the Sub-Divisional Officers (Panchayati Raj) who have an experience of working as such for a minimum period of six years.
4.	Executive Engineer (Electrical) (Panchayati Raj)	—	Hundred per cent	—	From amongst the Sub-Divisional Officers (Electrical) (Panchayati Raj) who have an experience of working as such for a minimum period of six years.
5.	Sub-Divisional Officer (Panchayati Raj)	Fifty per cent	Fifty per cent	Should possess a Degree in Civil Engineering from a recognised university or institution.	<p>(a) Out of the promotion quota;</p> <p>(i) thirty three per cent from amongst the Junior Engineers, working under the control of Chief Engineer, Panchayati Raj, who possess a diploma in Engineering in Civil from recognised university or institution and who have an experience of working as such for a minimum period of seven years;</p> <p>(ii) fifteen per cent from amongst the Junior Engineers, working under the control of Chief Engineer, Panchayati Raj, who possess a degree in Engineering in Civil or degree of A.M.I.E. from a recognised university or institution, and who have an experience of working as such for a minimum period of three years after obtaining the aforesaid degrees;</p> <p>(iii) two per cent from amongst the Circle Head Draftsman and Divisional Head Draftsman, who possess a degree in Engineering in Civil or a degree of A.M.I.E. from a recognised university or institution and who have an experience of working as such for a minimum period</p>

of two years;

Note- In case no Circle Head Draftsmen or Divisional Head Draftsmen working under the control of Chief Engineer, Panchayati Raj, possess a degree in Engineering in Civil or a degree of A.M.I.E. from a recognised university or institution is available for promotion at the relevant time than the post shall be filled in by promotion from amongst the Junior Engineers, working under the control of Chief Engineer, Panchayati Raj, who possess a diploma in Engineering in Civil and who have an experience of working as such for a minimum period of seven years.

and

(b) Should have qualified the Departmental Examination in such papers and syllabi, as may be specified by the Government from time to time.

6.	Sub-Divisional Officer (Electrical) (Panchayati Raj)	—	Hundred per cent	—	(a) Out of the promotion quota; i) Sixty Seven percent from amongst the Junior Engineers, working under the control of Chief Engineer, Panchayati Raj, who possess a diploma in Engineering in Electrical and who have an experience of working as such for a minimum period of seven years; (ii) Thirty three percent from amongst the Junior Engineers, working under the control of Chief Engineer, Panchayati Raj, who possess a degree in Engineering in Electrical or degree of A.M.I.E. from a recognised university or institution, and who have an experience of working as such for a
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minimum period of three years after obtaining the aforesaid degrees;

(b) Should have qualified the Departmental Examination in such papers and syllabi, as may be specified by the Government from time to time."

5. In the said rules, after "Appendix 'C' ", the following Appendix shall be added, namely:-

"APPENDIX 'D'

[See rule 8 (2)]

Serial Number	Designation of the post	Nature of penalty*/or order@	Authority empowered to impose penalty or pass order	Appellate authority
1	2	3	4	5
1.	Chief Engineer (Panchayati Raj)	Major and Minor Penalty	Minister in Charge	Chief Minister
2.	Superintending Engineer (Panchayati Raj)	Major and Minor Penalty	Secretary in Charge	Minister in Charge
3.	Executive Engineer (Panchayati Raj)	Major and Minor Penalty	Secretary in Charge	Minister in Charge
4.	Executive Engineer (Electrical) (Panchayati Raj)	Major and Minor Penalty	Secretary in Charge	Minister in Charge
5.	Sub Divisional Officer (Panchayati Raj)	Major and Minor Penalty	Secretary in Charge	Minister in Charge
6.	Sub Divisional Officer (Electrical) (Panchayati Raj)	Major and Minor Penalty	Secretary in Charge	Minister in Charge

*in terms of rule 5 of the Punjab Civil Services (Punishment and Appeal) Rules, 1970.

@ in terms of rule 15 of the Punjab Civil Services (Punishment and Appeal) Rules, 1970."

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